

the country. The details are annexed in the Statement.

### STATEMENT

#### *Travel Circuits*

1. Kulu—Manali—Léh
2. Gwalior—Shivpuri—Orcha—Khajuraho
3. Bagdogra—Sikkim—Darjeeling—Kalimpong
4. Bhubaneswar—Puri—Konark
5. Hyderabad—Nagarjunasagar—Tirupati
6. Madras—Mahabalipuram—Pondicherry
7. Rishikesh—Narender Nagar—  
Gangotri—Badrinath
8. Indore—Ujjain—Maheshwar—  
Omkareshwar—Mandu
9. Jaiselmer—Jodhpur—Bikaner—Barmer

#### *Destinations*

1. Lakshadweep Islands
2. Andaman Islands
3. Manali (Solang—Nalah)
4. Bekal Boach
5. Muttukadu Beach
6. Kangra (Pong Dam)

#### **Evaluation of Tourist Offices Abroad**

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**PRABHU ZANTYE:** Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have ever evaluated the performance of tourists offices abroad to know the extent to which foreign tourists have been motivated to visit India;

(b) if so, the findings thereof; and

(c) the details of tourists visited who visited India from abroad where Indian tourist Offices are working and the foreign exchange earned from them during each of the last three years?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) to (c). Evaluation of the performance of overseas tourist offices is an ongoing process. It is the responsibility of the Tourist Offices overseas to motivate people to visit India and see its multifaceted attraction.

A statement of tourist arrivals for the last three years from the countries where Indian Tourist Offices are located is annexed.

The estimate of foreign exchange earnings are not worked out of different nationalities separately. However, the total foreign exchange earnings from tourism for the last three years are indicated below:—

1988-89	:	Rs. 2054 crores
1989-90	:	Rs. 2456 crores
1990-91	:	Rs. 2444 crores

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## TOURIST ARRIVALS

Sl. No.	Countries	Jan-Dec, 89	Jan-Dec, 90	Jan-Dec, -91 (estimated)
1	2	3	4	5
1.	CANADA	40,306	41,046	34,383
2.	U.S.A.	134,314	125,303	111,632
3.	ENGLAND	229,496	235,151	204,686
4.	NETHERLANDS	22,716	24,353	29,211
5.	ITALY	50,751	49,194	41,316
6.	SPAIN	20,016	18,567	15,681
7.	FRANCE	78,001	79,496	73,813
8.	GERMANY	78,431	70,346	71,091
9.	SWITZERLAND	32,034	32,431	30,675
10.	SWEDEN	12,781	13,281	10,535
11.	DUBAI (UAE)	31,471	27,477	28,654
12.	BAHRAIN	13,574	12,637	10,746

Sl. No.	Countries	Jan-Dec, 89	Jan-Dec, 90	Jan-Dec, -91 (estimated)
1	2	3	4	5
13.	SINGAPORE	29,377	32,570	31,402
14.	MALAYSIA	33,120	34,378	32,973
15.	THAILAND	10,576	11,877	11,757 <sup>6</sup>
16.	AUSTRALIA	30,443	30,076	24,151
17.	JAPAN	58,707	59,122	47,234